

## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-60. (Canceled)

61. (New) A temperature altering system, comprising:

a blanket sized and dimensioned to lie across the back of a horse;  
first and second pockets, each of which has a cavity that includes a removable  
temperature altering device, and each of which is freely positionable about the  
blanket using hook and loop fasteners; and  
the blanket having a flap sized and dimensioned to secure the blanket to the horse.

62. (New) The system of claim 1, wherein the blanket has an underside that includes a wicking  
material.

63. (New) The system of claim 1, wherein the first pocket has a flap disposed to assist in  
keeping a corresponding one of the temperature altering devices within a cavity of the first  
pocket.

64. (New) The system of claim 1, wherein the first pocket has a zipper disposed to assist in  
keeping a corresponding one of the temperature altering devices within a cavity of the first  
pocket.

65. (New) The system of claim 1, wherein the first pocket has a button disposed to assist in  
keeping a corresponding one of the temperature altering devices within a cavity of the first  
pocket.

66. (New) The system of claim 1, wherein the first pocket has a reflective material on a side  
adjacent the blanket.

67. (New) The system of claim 1, wherein the pockets mate with a top side of the blanket.

68. (New) The system of claim 1, wherein the pockets mate with a bottom side of the blanket.

69. (New) The system of claim 1, wherein the flap is positioned to secure the blanket at a rear portion of the horse.